# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



## FISCAL NOTE

### HB 1195 - SB 1248

March 10, 2021

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a health insurance entity, a health services provider, or a health facility to notify a patient of communication among the entity, a health services provider, and a health facility concerning the patient's medical claim within two business days after the communication has occurred. Effective January 1, 2022.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

#### Assumptions:

- The Division of Benefits Administration does not anticipate an increase in administrative costs associated with this legislation. Any increase in expenditures, if incurred, will take place in the next contract procurement, which will be FY26-27.
- The proposed legislation does not apply to managed care organizations contracting with the state to provide insurance through the TennCare program; therefore, no fiscal impact to the Division of TennCare.
- Based on information provided by the Department of Commerce and Insurance (DCI), the proposed legislation will not impact any programs or policies of the DCI; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

#### **IMPACT TO COMMERCE:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

#### Assumption:

• No significant impact to jobs or commerce in Tennessee.

# **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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